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COLORADO

What the Legislature Contemplates.

Special to the Gazette

DENVER, January 4 —The legislature opens to morrow in the building at the corner of Larimer and Twelfth streets. The accommodations are spacious and central Members are all here and the city is full of distinguished-looking people. The republican members of the lower house met in caucus at the Windsor hotel this evening after a hard day's work on the part of candidates in the lobby of the hotel which has already become the political head quarters in the city There were thirty-two members in the caucus and the following is the result:—

For speaker W H. Doe, of Clear Creek. His opponents were Rowen, of Custer, and Carpenter, of Arapahoe

Dr R M. Stevenson, of Pueblo, was chosen for clerk, Milton R. Moore, of Chaffee, for assistant clerk, R. L Hornbrook, of Grand, for sergeant at arms P. O Gaynor, of Park, for assistant, George W Stoner, for enrolling clerk; E Badecker, of Larimer, for engrossing clerk, Charles Uzzell, chaplain.

The senate convenes at 9.30 in the morning It looks now as though Henry R Wolcott would be chosen president, and W. M Clark vice president of the senate

Good Water Works.

SILVER CLIFF, January 4. The water works were tested to-day Four streams were thrown one hundred and thirty-five feet high from the hydrants, one hundred ninety feet above the pumps. The works were built in less than one hundred days by Russell & Alexander One stream one inch and one-half in diameter was thrown one hundred and sixty feet high

Teaching "Melican Man" a Lesson.

DENVER, January 4 —Chin Poo, a Chinese resident of Denver, has recently received a letter from Consul Bee, at San Francisco, saying that he has made application to the Chinese government to have a Chinese consul appointed for Denver and that he had recommended Chin Poo for the position should should it be created Chin Poo is an intelligent Chinaman, well acquainted with the English language and versed in American institutions He has been a resident of this city for several years and has during this time been recognized as a representative here of his nationality. Colonel Bee also says in a letter that the entire file of Chinese claims for damages sustained in the riot which recently occurred in this city has been forwarded to the Chinese embassy at Washington for presentation to the American government He also says the United States will be compelled to pay the claims in accordance with the provisions of the international treaty, and he holds that damages can also be collected for the death of Sing Lee who was killed in the riot He cites the case of the murder of an American in China several years ago for which American grit collected $250 000 from China, and he thinks this is a good opportunity to get the money back and also presumably to teach the "Melican man" a lesson

GENERAL NEWS.

Remarkable Railroad Earnings

NEW YORK, January 4 —The estimated gross earnings of the eastern division of the New York Lake Erie and Western for December were $107,900 an increase of $30 500 The Denver and Rio Grande net earnings for December were $342 196 [illegible] last year they were only $[illegible] The earnings for 1880 were $3 452 616 The earnings for 1879 were $1 2 7 701 an increase of $2 224 915 For the six months ending January 1 1881 the earnings were $2 396 587 For the same time in 1879 they were $632,625, an increase for the six months ended January 1, particularly estimated of $1,314,824, being 20 per cent per annum on the stock after paying fixed charges

Disastrous Tenement Fire

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[illegible] years

[illegible] aged

[illegible] aged 13

[illegible]

[illegible]

Charles [illegible] aged 8

[illegible] Egan, aged 2

Mrs Sheridan age unknown

Several persons were injured among them were Mary Egan and Charles Walsh

The fire broke out in a tenement in the rear of James Doglon's liquor store It started at the bottom of the stairs that furnished the only exit for the tenants in the five story building excepting a fire escape attached to the building outside and in less than five minutes it swept through the stairway to the roof cutting off the escape of a score of persons The flames soon found vent also through the two lower stories and thus barred egress by the fire escape The tenants,

PANIC STRICKEN,

made a rush for the roof, but the scuttle was firmly hooked and would not yield The ascending flame drove the people back within their rooms The wildest confusion followed, men and women threw their children from the windows and jumped after them through the flames that swept across the yard and set their clothing ablaze When the firemen obtained the mastery the dead bodies of the nine already mentioned were taken out of the ruins Several were injured The scene of the calamity, the like of which has not occurred in the city since the tenant house fire in Cannon street a year ago, and the Turner hall disaster, about the same time, is approached through a narrow alley hardly wide enough to allow the passage of a portly man between the tall tenements, Nos. 35 and 33, on Madison street. The back opens directly on a narrow hall way in the rear of the tenement where the fire obtained its start Plumbers were at work at the foot of the stairs thawing out frozen water pipes, and for this purpose used gasoline. The vessel was by some means upset, and, becoming ignited, caused

AN EXPLOSION

which blew in the door of the saloon In an instant a dense smoke rolled up the long stairway drawn inward by a draught caused by an open window in the top story There was a momentary hush as the frightened plumbers hurried into the yard A man sitting by the bar room stove slammed the hall door on the advancing fire and immediately there was a wild rush overhead and the sound of the breaking of glass and the air was filled with the wails of imprisoned men and women, the shrieks of frightened children and the cries for help of the barkeeper and plumbers who ran through the street to the rear by police station The clang of fire bells filled the street and the narrow alley became filled with firemen and police struggling to bring help to the imprisoned and burning tenants

THEY CAME TOO LATE.

The fire finding a vent through the open doors and windows of the untenanted ground floor of the house and through the door had seized upon the shutters, window frames and wooden floors of the balconies outside licking them up like so much tissue paper and reaching upward to the floors where frightened men and women huddled together afraid to venture out on the fire escape that was itself aflame

FIGHT FAMILIES EXPOSED

Eight families occupied the house, two on each floor On the second floor the Egans and Muldoons had at the first alarm escaped through the window. Mrs Mary Egan, widow, and her four grown children, Margaret, Thomas, Joseph and John, reached the ground in safety by a quick jump Mrs. Muldoon, who is over 80 years old, was less fortunate. Seizing her two grandchildren, Annie, aged 10, and Kate, aged 7, she sprang from the fire escape, but in the fall sprained or broke her leg, and crawled away with difficulty

On the third floor Mr Regan, who lived alone, escaped, and his neighbors, the McKenne family, likewise by jumping, and James McKenne, aged 9, Hugh, aged 4 and a baby were thrown through the window by Charles McKennie, their eldest brother, a lad of 15. The mother was sweeping in the yard when the fire broke out She rushed to the stairway but was met by a solid sheet of flame, and realizing the danger of her children, roused them by shouting before they knew of their danger The mother appealed to her son to

THROW THE CHILDREN TO HER,

and to jump himself, while the baby frightened by the cries of others who were alarmed at the smoke which was fast filling the room, constantly cried, with its arms outstretched, Mamma mamma! mamma! The boy literally measured the distance to the ground from the third story window and taking the baby in his arms dropped out and fell into the arms of its mother, who caught the other children as they were sent to her one by one, and finally broke the fall of Charles as he leaped, and all were saved but

LOCKED WITHIN THE ROOM

[illegible] Mrs Ellen Sheridan [illegible] leg and thigh. At the first alarm she sought to escape with the children by [illegible] hanging [illegible] the hall door [illegible] the flames [illegible] escape but the flames [illegible] have [illegible] hand [illegible] only [illegible] were [illegible] Instance [illegible] were drowned during the progress of the flame

DESCRIPTION OF THE DEAD

On each side of the hallway on every floor of the building were small living rooms and two bed rooms each barely six feet square The living rooms all had two windows fronting on the court and one of each set of bedrooms also fronted on it, while the remaining bedroom in each suit of rooms was dark. A fire escape led from the roof of the first floor with balconies connecting with the suites of rooms upon each floor A corridor on each floor led from the narrow cramped entry of each floor to this balcony The stairs by which the families reached their rooms were not wide enough to allow two persons the comfortable passage of each other, and they were also full of turns to economize space A scuttle led to the roof and this made draft, which drew the flames up the narrow stairs, cutting off the retreat of the inmates

ARRESTING THE LANDLORD

William J Patton, the boss plumber at the scene of this morning fire has been sent to the Tombs in default of ten thousand dollars bail which he secured this evening The offense was using gasoline which he said he knew was explosive unless carefully handled Harrington whom he detailed to do the job was a green hand.

A Great Imprudence

WASHINGTON, January 4 A social paper this morning published under a New York telegraphic heading a series of letters purporting to have been written last spring and summer by Mrs Christiancy to Edel Berto Giro, whose name is coupled with hers in the Christiancy divorce proceedings These letters are of a very loving character and contain numerous appeals to Giro to come forward and testify for her protection against the charges made by Christiancy's counsel in regard to the alleged improper intimacy Accompanying the letters are also several written to a Mr Jackson, whom she implores as a friend of Giro to exert his influence to induce Giro to come forward and aid the woman he had compromised from the consequences of what she termed a thoughtless but great imprudence

The Evening Star publishes an interview with Mrs Christiancy in which she gave her explanation of these letters and the history of her acquaintance with Giro She says among other things that she declined many written requests of Giro to be permitted to come to see her at Washington but finally went with a lady friend to meet him at the railroad depot on his arrival from New York on the strength of an assertion on his part that he was about to visit Peru and that knowing there was much talk about her there he wished to hear her side of the story to defend her. She says she didn't accompany him to the hotel but subsequently she and her lady friend dined with him at a restaurant. The next morning at her mother's house he urged her to obtain a divorce and marry him but she declined He came back late in the evening and told her there had been a woman with him at the hotel that afternoon and that some one had said it was she Mrs Christiancy, that Christiancy and his friends were persecuting her and she must marry him She replied that Christiancy and his friends might drive her to death but they could not make her marry him and she never would do it. He then left but returned in the evening and threatened her that if she did not marry him he would say she was the woman at the St James and ruin her, being again refused he swore vengeance upon her for having scorned him and finally became so violent that to pacify him she said she would marry him Mrs Christiancy further informed the Star reporter that Giro then returned to New York and she then wrote to him retracting her promise but he persisted in claiming its fulfilment and some time afterward when she learned that Christiancy's counsel intended to institute divorce proceedings against her upon the ground of improper intimacy with Giro, she took the advice of friends and wrote him the series of letters now published merely as a means by pretending to be in love with him, to avert the carrying into effect of the threats which he had made in Washington, and to entice him to give truthful testimony for her protection

More Morey than Ever

CHICAGO, January 4 —The Tribune's New York special says The Garfield Morey letter comes to light once more in the plain confession on the part of the paper that published it to the world that it is a forgery

The Star contains the following particulars which will no doubt be a means of settling the exact question however As previously published in the Star it is now a clearly established fact that the over zealous friends of Garfield in the suppression of Kenward Philp to a retainer in settlement of the charge of malicious libelling General Garfield only placed the useless further away from the real culprit B G

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SIR After [illegible] in which [illegible] their [illegible] energy [illegible] that [illegible] acknowledgment [illegible] from the [illegible] appeared It is [illegible] act of simple justice [illegible] a few weeks [illegible] you were the author of the letter [illegible] tempt nor threat [illegible] trary statement but having ascertained [illegible] error now it is a gratification to us [illegible] same prominence to this acknowledgment that we gave to the forged letter itself and thereby make all the amends in our power for a wrong of which the Truth was an innocent instrument Our investigations convinced us that the letter was spurious and we privately informed you of our conclusion at that time that we were satisfied that the ends of justice might be impeded by a public avowal such as we now make But as will apparently the appended letter from B G Jayne esq that the consideration no longer exists and we do to day what the observance of the principle upon which Truth was established and by which it has been conducted would have impelled us to immediately upon the discovery that the letter was a forgery and which nothing could have prevented but a desire to fix the guilt where it belong Truth published the letter in good faith, believing you were the author of it, while we so believed neither temptation, threats nor force could influence us to repudiate, likewise having now satisfied ourselves of its spurious character, no false pride nor selfish motive of any kind can restrain us from announcing our conclusion, thereby allaying the doubt that now exists respecting its authenticity Respectfully, TRUTH

In addition Truth received the following from B G Jayne

NEW YORK, December 31st, 1880

JOSEPH HART, ESQ.,

DEAR SIR.—In answer to your note of yesterday I would say I can see no good reason for longer withholding the statement you desire made in your paper, viz You are now satisfied from evidence in your possession that the letter published by you purporting to have been written by Gen J A Garfield to H L Morey, of Lynn, was a forgery Fully understanding the imposition practiced upon you by certain members of the national democratic committee on whose assurance you relied with regard to the genuineness of the letter and knowing how earnestly you have worked to ascertain the authenticity of the fraud and by following every clue that seemed to lead to its solution, and fully appreciate your oft repeated declarations, that your only wish in the premises, was to ascertain and proclaim the exact truth I deem in justice to all concerned that the time has come when you should say the letter was a forgery, for with the proofs in your possession there can be little doubt as to the real criminal

Very respectfully, B G JAYNE

Truth also says, editorially, when the Morey letter came to us we believed it a genuine letter of James A Garfield Our belief became absolute conviction when Speaker Randall, Senator Barnum, Orestes Cleveland, Abram S Hewitt and other prominent members of the democratic national committee, all better able to judge than we were said we unhesitatingly pronounced it genuine and upon their assurance we published it in the form best calculated to impose a conviction of its genuineness upon the people But when in court the envelope was cut at the ends and a single thickness of paper held between the eye and the light revealing for the first time the fact that the original address upon the envelope had been erased and that of H L Morey substituted and when it appeared the Lynn hotel register containing the signature of H L Morey really had no such signature upon its pages, when it was given by the hotel proprietor to the agent of the democratic committee who brought it here when it appeared that same agent procured the attendance of Samuel Morey who falsely swore to the existence of H L Morey when it appeared that the same agent was active in procuring Hendricks affidavit in Maryland which was sent for immediately which proved to be a perjurer and when photographic experiments with the Morey envelope proved that at least four addresses had been upon it erased in turn, except the last two which act, and the third which in argument therefrom, made every effort to solve the mystery and ascertain the origin and history of the letter Our investigation resulted in discovering positive proof that the letter is undoubtedly a forgery Having made that discovery we now announce it as prominently as we published the letter that there may not remain a trace of the belief which unquestionably still exists that is genuine We owe this to James A Garfield as an act of justice to him

Across the Isthmus

NEW YORK January 4 —The Tribune says Captain Eads has completed negotiations with Mexico for the construction of a ship railway across the Isthmus of Tehuantepec and has received the most liberal concession it has ever granted being a strip of half a mile wide with a mile wide for stations leaving him unfettered as to the plans and execution of the work

Stocks and Bonds

NEW YORK January 4

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Western Union	85½	U P bonds	114½
Quicksilver	12½	Sutro funnel	1¼
Pacific Mail	19¾	D & R G o P	
Maripesa	¾	bonds	115
Wells Fargo	112	D & R G consols	115¾
N Y Central	130⅞	D & R G stock	36
Erie	49½	Coal & Iron Co	
Panama	212	bonds	92
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Congress and our state legislation both meet to day.

A railroad bill preventing overcharges is practicable and will give relief from serious inconveniences.

Hon. Levi P. Morton has been invited to become secretary of the navy and is likely to hold over if he accepts.

If the Indian contractors are wise, they will work for the selection of Chaffee for the secretaryship of the interior.

Hon Henry M Teller could ably fill the position of attorney general in Garfield's cabinet and also be a good representative of Colorado

W H English is reported to have resolved since the beginning of the year, that hereafter he will enter the campaigns for revenue only.

Connecticut still has a law which states that every horse used in a horse race or on which any wager is laid or stakes won shall be forfeited to the state.

As between Chaffee and Routt, let us have Routt in the cabinet by all means. But the whole matter seems to be reduced to the question, "which would you rather do, or go fishing."

Complaint is made that Harvard students are taught only free trade. For many years Professor Bowen taught the protection theory. Harvard was almost the last American college to adopt the free trade doctrine

Congress is likely to fritter away its time and he too late with its refunding measure. The five per cents are due May 1, but three months' notice must be given to call them in. The notice must, therefore, be given February 1. If it is not given then, we must pay the difference between the interest on $508,000,000 at five per cent, and the interest at the new rate for at least three months.

In the new apportionment of legislators which will be made by this legislature El Paso county's representation will be unchanged. The new census gives one senator for each 7509 inhabitants El Paso county has 7,903 inhabitants and is therefore fully entitled to a senator The new census also gives one representative to every 3 985 inhabitants. Our representation in the lower house therefore cannot be reduced.

The selection of Senator Bruce for a cabinet position would in many respects be a just one He would represent the greater part of the republican party in the south. In the senate he has conducted himself with great ability and dignity. Even southern democrats have overcome their race prejudices sufficiently to recommend him. His selection would be a happy solution of the vexed question of a southern representative in the cabinet.

The Morey letter comes to life again. The dispatch is not very interesting, because a libellous paper only admits to be forgery what everyone knew to be a forgery last October The article in the Truth seems to put the responsibility on the democratic committee, but does not go far enough to give much satisfaction What the people want to know is who is responsible for the Morey forgery. If it is Barnum and his crew let them be sent to the penitentiary

The idea that Lieutenant Governor Tabor will hold over until the election of his successor can hardly prevail It is too absurd a theory The provision in the constitution that an officer shall hold over until his successor qualified is a general provision intended only to cover such vacancies as the laws made no provision for. In case of a vacancy in the office of lieutenant governor, the constitution makes a special provision, so that the general law don't apply. It says that its duties shall be discharged by the president pro tem of the senate, who shall become governor in case of a vacancy in both offices The law is plain and precedents in other states fully cover the point.

The Colorado Springs GAZETTE, which thinks Arapahoe county fails to pay its fair proportion of state taxes, will be interested in knowing that State Treasurer Culver's report shows Arapahoe county to have paid $96 594 77 to El Paso $23,062 46 [Denver Times.

We would like to candidly ask the Denver Times if it thinks that the above two contributions are in proportion to the wealth of the two counties The proportion is about 4 to 1 The population is more than four times as great in Arapahoe If under the circumstances Denver did only a local business, the ratio might be correct. Its business however is not simply local It is the commercial center of the state, both in money and merchandise

Our dispatches give the news of the successful completion of the Silver Cliff water works by Messrs. Russell & Alexander. We would say in this connection that this firm has given satisfaction in all parts of the state where it has been employed. Some injustice is done these gentlemen regarding the work done by them in putting in our water works We did not ask them to submit a plan for putting in water works but submitted a plan for them to execute We also asked them to modify this plan in various ways so that the cost of the water works should be within the proceeds of the bonds The great question was how shall we construct water works which shall cost only $61,000 and not how shall we construct water works which shall be most enduring The economy which to us is foolish was to them necessary. In making any criticisms, we should take into account the financial condition of the city. If our council had spent much more money in constructing the water works properly than was received from the sale of the bonds, there would have been just as much fault found as there is now.

The state authorities of North Carolina will not allow an endorsement of "The Fool's Errand" book to go unpunished For many years Mrs Ellen Campbell has been superintendent of the North Carolina Deaf, Dumb, and Blind Institute. In a private letter to a friend in Massachusetts she spoke of "The Fool's Errands" book as being a true picture of southern life. This observation was printed in a Massachusetts rural paper and traveled back to North Carolina. The state authorities discovered it and discharged Mrs. Campbell.—[Chicago Inter-Ocean.

Still this action is in accord with the civil service principles of the Inter Ocean. That paper objected to the appointment of Key in the cabinet because he was once a rebel and had voted against the republican party at Hayes' election. It objected to other appointments of Democrats in the south. It claimed that a republican administration should not contribute to the support of democrats. Now, we are not denying this principle but simply say that North Carolina democrats were carrying it out. There is no more reason for North Carolina democrats keeping a republican in a lucrative office, than a republican national administration keeping democrats in office. A little higher view of the civil service, however, would enable the Inter Ocean to be more consistent. The lady should have been removed only because she was incompetent. Politics ought not enter into such appointments.

Has He?

From the Leadville Democrat.

—Governor Routt has a very excellent opportunity to determine who his friends are in all this racket about a cabinet appointment.

Indeed?

From the Leadville Chronicle.

The Colorado Springs GAZETTE thinks the appointment of Mr Chaffee as secretary of the interior would be a stain on the administration, and that it would be utterly antagonistic to reform and purity of administration. Indeed!

A Deserved Compliment.

From the Denver Tribune.

The papers of the state have already made mention of the fact that Hon Herman Beckurts retires from The Tribune with this number. The compliments paid have been warm, but deserved. Before he took The Tribune it did not amount to very much Since then it has grown to be the first paper in the west This single statement contains compliment enough He displayed the energy and spent the money which are always necessary to keep pace with a growing city and the results were gratifying Now that he retires to engage in other business, he takes with him the warmest God speed of those who have been associated with him so long They know him better than others do and they can more fully appreciate the truth of the pleasant words that have been printed about him He goes out with the regrets of his employees, and how deep these regrets are can only be understood by those who are aware of how thoroughly pleasant were the relations between them He took a failing paper and leaves a prosperous one In his position at the head of The Tribune he has always been just and generous No man can say that he was ever harmed by him or that he used the paper at his command for other than honest purposes He was the Chevalier Bayard of western journalism, *et peur et sans reproche*. He leaves the world of newspapers for other walks in life, and if honest and deep good will can help him, he will have enough assistance.

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...g Upon the New Year's Coming of Age

BY CHARLES LAMB

Old Year being dead, and the Twelfth Day of December being come, which to us is as the day of his death, we, his executors, in the behalf of the young heir, his successor, do hereby publish and declare the will of our said deceased father, as we find the same written in his ancient handwriting, to the tenor following, to wit:

Imprimis, he bequeaths his body to the ground, whereof he hath been a tenant so long time, and his soul to the Spirit of Life, which gave it, to be disposed of and ordered at the discretion of the said Spirit.

Item, he bequeaths unto the Poor all such alms, relief, and succor, as they can get of the charitable, during the term of their natural lives, they paying therefor such rents, duties, and services, as have accrued thereupon since the death of the testator.

Item, he bequeaths unto the Rich all such wealth, honors, preferments, and dignities, as they have purchased during the term aforesaid, they paying therefor such price, pains, and penalties, as they have deserved to pay.

Item, he bequeaths unto Lawyers all such suits, quarrels, and litigations, as have been begun during the term aforesaid, they paying therefor such damages as have accrued thereupon since the death of the testator.

Item, he bequeaths unto Physicians all such patients, diseases, and infirmities, as have been their portion during the term aforesaid, they paying therefor such fees as have accrued since the death of the testator.

Item, he bequeaths unto Divines all such congregations, tithes, and offerings, as have been their portion during the term aforesaid, they paying therefor such rents, duties, and services, as have accrued since the death of the testator.

Item, he bequeaths unto Lovers all such sighs, tears, and groans, as have been their portion during the term aforesaid, they paying therefor such penalties as have accrued since the death of the testator.

Item, he bequeaths unto Poets all such dreams, conceits, and fancies, as have been their portion during the term aforesaid, they paying therefor such rents, duties, and services, as have accrued since the death of the testator.

Item, he bequeaths unto Fools all such folly as they can get, during the term aforesaid, they paying therefor such price as they can pay for the same.

Item, he bequeaths unto Wise Men such wisdom as they can get, during the term aforesaid, they paying therefor such price as it hath been worth to the said testator.

Item, he bequeaths unto Time all such losses, crosses, and vexations, as have been his portion during the term aforesaid, they paying therefor such rents, duties, and services, as have accrued since the death of the testator.

Item, he bequeaths unto Eternity all such years, months, weeks, days, hours, minutes, and seconds, as have been its portion during the term aforesaid, they paying therefor such rents, duties, and services, as have accrued since the death of the testator.

Item, he bequeaths unto Hope all such disappointments as have been its portion during the term aforesaid, they paying therefor such rents, duties, and services, as have accrued since the death of the testator.

Item, he bequeaths unto Fear all such evils as have been its portion during the term aforesaid, they paying therefor such rents, duties, and services, as have accrued since the death of the testator.

Item, he bequeaths unto Friendship all such services, kindnesses, and assistances, as have been its portion during the term aforesaid, they paying therefor such rents, duties, and services, as have accrued since the death of the testator.

Item, he bequeaths unto Love all such joys, delights, and pleasures, as have been its portion during the term aforesaid, they paying therefor such penalties as have accrued since the death of the testator.

Item, he bequeaths unto Charity all such virtues, graces, and perfections, as have been its portion during the term aforesaid, they paying therefor such rents, duties, and services, as have accrued since the death of the testator.

Item, he bequeaths unto Death all such persons, things, and possessions, as have been its portion during the term aforesaid, they paying therefor such rents, duties, and services, as have accrued since the death of the testator.

Item, he bequeaths unto Life all such pains, labors, and sorrows, as have been its portion during the term aforesaid, they paying therefor such rents, duties, and services, as have accrued since the death of the testator.

Item, he bequeaths unto Himself all such repentances, regrets, and remorses, as have been his portion during the term aforesaid, they paying therefor such rents, duties, and services, as have accrued since the death of the testator.

Item, he bequeaths unto Posterity all such blessings, benefits, and advantages, as have been its portion during the term aforesaid, they paying therefor such rents, duties, and services, as have accrued since the death of the testator.

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THE COLORADO SPRINGS GAZETTE

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 5, 1881

TIME TABLE.

Colorado Springs & Manitou R'y.

GOING EAST.

Leave Manitou.	Arrive Colorado Springs.
9 a. m.	9 30 a. m.
11 a. m.	11 30 a. m.
3.35 p. m.	3.5 p. m.
8 00 p. m.	8.20 p. m.

GOING WEST

Leave Colorado Springs.	Arrive at Manitou.
10 a. m.	10 30 a. m.
11 50 a. m.	12.10 p. m.
4.40 p. m.	5 p. m.
6.40 p. m.	7 p. m.

Denver and Rio Grande Railway.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.	TRAINS GOING NORTH.
Through Freight	*Way Freight.*
Arrive ... 8 15 A. M	Arrive ... 10 55 A. M
Leave ... 2 55 P. M	Leave ... 12 35 P. M
Leadville Express	*Eastern Express.*
Arrive ... 11 15 A. M	Arrive ... 4 11 P. M
Leave ... 11 40 A. M.	Leave ... 4 40 P. M
San Juan Express.	*San Juan Express*
Arrive ... 10 40 P. M.	Arrive ... 3 10 A. M.
Leave ... 10 50 P. M	Leave ... 3 25 A. M

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Legal Notices.

SCHEDULE OF ADVERTISING RATES

Administrator's notices for 3 times	$5 00
Executors " " "	4 00
Final settlement " " "	4 00
All other notices of the same kind	4 00
Add for every insertion after one time	1 00
Land sales, per square, one time only	5 00
Land sales, per square, for each subsequent insertion	1 00
Trustee's sales per block	10 00

G. W. STEWARTE, Manager of the GAZETTE.
ADE. ROBERTS, Proprietor of Mountaineer.

The winter term of Colorado College opens to-day.

The receipts of the Colorado Springs station from freight and passenger travel during the month of December was $35,000.

Messrs. Tribe & Jefferay and E. P. Howbert & Co. will in the future close their respective places of business at seven o'clock in the evening.

The week of prayer is being generally observed by the churches of this city. The subject to-day is prayer for the church of Christ, its unity and purity, its ministry, and for revivals of religion.

We acknowledge the receipt of a neat annual greeting from the attaches of the Lawrence, Kansas, postoffice in the shape of a highly ornamented folding card. The outer pages contain the names of the attaches of the office while the inside is devoted to a postoffice bulletin and rates of postage.

There was a false alarm of fire last night at a quarter of ten o'clock. Company One was on hand and Company Two was not far behind. As there was no fire, we cannot have the pleasure of saying who got first water. We can say, however, that every man did his duty, and Colorado Springs ought to be proud of its fire companies.

The W. S. Jackson Hose company No. 2 held their regular annual meeting for the election of officers at the engine house last night. There was a full attendance of the members and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: W. H. Harrison, foreman; W. H. Hoagland, first assistant; M. H. Wilbur, second assistant; O. L. Godfrey, secretary and treasurer. Pipemen, John Clark, Charley Lee, Frank Perkins, Harry Wagner. Hydrant men, Edgar Howbert, A. H. Whaite, E. E. Martin, John Courter. The company has 22 members enrolled on its list and is in a prosperous condition.

Personal.

General T. F. Rowan, of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. J. M. Sigafus, wife and daughter start this morning for Florida and will remain there during the remainder of the winter.

County Commissioners C. R. Husted, J. C. Woodbury and Matt France started on a visit to the Divide yesterday for the purpose of investigating the feasibility of establishing some new roads for which the residents of the Divide have made application.

Mayor Bacon's Agility.

Mount Pleasant, Henry county, Iowa, must be a pleasant city to live in, judging from the very sprightly daily paper, called the Reporter, which is published there. The paper is deserving of favorable notice as it displays an enterprising courtesy of an altitude of six thousand feet above the sea. However, what we began to say was that the Daily Reporter recognizes our worthy mayor in the following remarks:

A hook and ladder company of Colorado Springs, Colorado, gave a Christmas ball, to which their worthy city mayor, Col. John H. Bacon, was an invited guest. And now we want the many friends of Col. Bacon in this part of Iowa, who know him to be fifty-five or sixty years old if he is a minute, to just read what the daily GAZETTE of that city says of the colonel. In its mention of their grand Christmas ball: "Mayor Bacon came early and went home at daylight. At his request the quadrille waltz, dedicated to him was changed to a High-land fling, and the way he developed the scientific intricacies of the dance was a caution to behold."

CUPID'S CAPTIVES.

List of Marriages Contracted In El Paso County During 1880.

We gave last year a list of marriages contracted in 1879, as we have, reason to know that list was a matter of great interest to many of our readers and has been frequently referred to since its publication. We have, therefore, collected from the books of the county clerk a similar list of marriages contracted in 1880. The following condensed table will show the number of marriages in each month and the total number of marriages during the year.

January	6
February	6
March	4
April	5
May	3
June	4
July	8
August	5
September	7
October	9
November	11
December	9
Total	76

From the above it will be seen that November was the month chosen by the greater number of people in which to be married, and that October and December are the next greatest favorites, each one of these standing upon equal terms, while the merry month of May is the lowest on the list. In the first quarter of the year there were 15 marriages, in the second only 12, while the third shows an increase to 20 and the last quarter the largest report of all, amounting to 29 all of which would seem to disprove the statement of the poet that "In the spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love." The following is the list:

JANUARY.

Wm. A. Burgess and Adaline A. Layton, January 4, Justice Croffer.

H S Potts and Miss Isabella McCulloch, January 8, the Rev R T Cross.

Alexander Volley and Nannie Ewing, January 15, Rev W J Reed.

J E Benedict and Irene S Robinson, January 19, Rev W W Perkins.

Wm A Dacks and Miss Adaline Smith, January 22, Justice Bently.

S M Dilts and Miss Sarah A Rigs, January 28, Rev W L Slutz.

FEBRUARY.

Charles O Durkee and Miss Eugenia Tutts, Febury 5, R T Cross.

Wm McGuire and Miss Mary W Williams, February 10, Justice S P Clark.

Wm E Grinnell and Miss Elizabeth Lennox, February 19, T C Kirkwood.

Joseph Mann and Miss Caroline Miller, February 19, W L Slutz.

R V Kennedy and Miss Carrie Hudson, February 19, T C Kirkwood.

MARCH.

Geo. D. Elwell and Miss Ettie Stropes, March 15, W. L. Slutz.

Wm. Fielding and Mrs. Abbie Mayes, March 16, Wm. A. Hyde.

Frank F. Castello and Miss Ida Baker, March 24, Justice S. P. Clark.

Mr R M Edwards and Miss Mary E Hoag, March 28, W L Slutz.

APRIL.

Con McGinley and Miss Mary Powers, April 1, Father De La Hanty.

John H Lundy and Miss Sarah King, April 8, R T Cross.

Garrett Quackenboss Mrs Pamelia A Rose, April 9, W L Slutz.

Aaron Morris and Miss Anna Bisshop, April 10, W J Reed.

F A H Sahrbeck and Miss Kate L Leibold, April 21, W D Westervelt.

MAY.

C C Brazil and Mrs S M Foster, May 4, W A Hyde.

W H Mumford and Miss Nancy E Stout, May 20, Justice Bentley.

G W Bridge and Miss Mary Montgomery, May 25, S W Hatch.

JUNE.

John H King and Miss Beatrice Fallatie, June 2, Father De La Hanty.

Edward Newcomer and Miss Mary J Hunter, June, 6, W L Slutz

T C Watson and Miss Sarah M Walton, June 18, W L Slutz.

John W Dozier and Miss Mary E Mumford, June 29, Justice Bentley.

JULY.

John Kersher and Miss Alice M. Stephenson, July 1, W L Slutz.

Wm Rachel and Mary P Clark, July 4, Rev R T Cross.

W C Strider and Miss Alice Watkins, July 7, Justice Cross.

J L Reifsnider and Mrs L A Maxwell, July 14, W A Hyde.

E J Shobe and Miss Carrie A Sheffer, July 18, Rev C C Creegan.

N P Harrison and Miss Bertha E Larson, July 23, Judge E A Colburn.

W H C Folsom and Miss Lottie Millard, July 25, Rev R T Cross.

E F Bennet and Miss Hannah M Hill, July 25, Judge E A Colburn.

AUGUST.

H Neff and Miss Maggie L. Richards, August 3, W L Slutz.

Geo Barndollar and Miss Lizze J Gage, August 4, Dr Willis Lord.

Robt E Osten and Mattie M Lynch, August 11, Rev B A P Eaton.

Louis W Geiger and Miss Charlotte Morrill, August 15, T C Kirkwood, D. D.

Alfred Reece and Miss Mary Magingan, August 18, Father De La Hanty.

SEPTEMBER.

D J Lambert and Miss Mary Halshead, September 1, Rev W L Slutz.

James Heller and Miss Emma Monroe, September 1, Rev R T Cross.

J Hulgard and Miss Mary L West, September 2, Rev W D Westervelt.

A N Knight and Miss Rachael F Granger, September 4, Rev T C Kirkwood.

Frank W Hemenway and Miss Mary J Montgomery, September 5, W L Slutz.

Geo H McMillen and Miss F L Riddle, September 9, T C Kirkwood, D. D.

J A Neff and Miss Margaret Warren, September 13, Rev S W Hatch.

OCTOBER.

H L Quimby and Miss Lizzie L Redman, October 5, Deacon Easterly.

Alexander McCullough and Miss Louisa Powers, October 6, Rev W G Reed.

Fred Louther and Miss Mahala Neil, October 7, W L Slutz.

Henry Smeltzer and Miss Levina Potter, October 15, Rev R T Cross.

John Ryan and Miss Hattie Smeltzer, October 15, Rev R T Cross.

Geo D Walker and Richard Dysert, October 18, Clergyman R T Cross.

Eugene T Wolverton and Miss R L Copeland, October 21, T C Kirkwood.

Newton C Hull and Miss Luella J Tweed, October 20, T C Kirkwood, D D.

Geo L Banks and Nevada E Scott, October 29, Clergyman R T Cross.

NOVEMBER.

R J Krague and Miss Jennie Cumberland, November 3, Rev R T Cross.

A H Harrison and Miss Dora M Shideler, November 4, Rev W L Slutz.

Henry Holmes and Miss Belle Moore, November 5, Justice Bently.

B F Lacy and Miss Martha F Johnson, November 5, S W Hatch.

S P Kirkpatrick and Miss Lila Marsh, November 6, Rev W L Slutz.

O G Caswell and Miss Alice Blow, November 12, Rev W L Slutz.

Tracy Elsie Carey and Josephine Coleman, November 12, Father De La Hanty.

John McCabe and Mary Glancy, November 18, Father De La Hanty.

R P Williams and Miss Augusta Sayer, November 18, Rev P A Rice.

J G McConnell and Miss Clara C Well, November 24, Willis Lord, D D.

Thos H Benton and Miss Jane Flowers, November 25, Justice Bently.

Geo Thompson and Miss R A Mackey, November 30, Deacon J P Easterly.

DECEMBER.

Chas E Chapman and Fannie Bergens, Dec 2, Rev W L Slutz.

Jacob Kolle and Miss Dora Shephard, Dec 14, Rev W L Slutz.

V E Smith and Miss Anna C Murray, Dec 16, Rev W L Slutz.

Andrew F Snyder and Mrs Margaret A Pearson, Dec 21, Rev W L Slutz.

Benj F Robbins and Miss Susie M Stephenson, December 22, Rev W L Slutz.

F W Erenbergh and Miss Mattie Monroe, December 23, Rev R T Cross.

N J Jones and Miss Julia Casey, December 25, Rev W G Reed.

W H Gordon and Miss Delia Clark, December 28, Rev W L Slutz.

F E Rose and Laura E Shideler, December 30, Rev W L Slutz.

EL PASO COUNTY.

Agricultural and Pastoral Resources of Our Home.

The New Year's edition of the Denver Tribune has the following very satisfactory review of the agricultural and pastoral resources of El Paso county.

"In this county agriculture, thus far, has not engrossed the attention of its citizens. The census reports give but two hundred and twenty-one farmers within its borders, but we are inclined to think that this is lower than the actual number, since none are reported save those that are valued over $400. The sheep interest is very large and the eastern half of the county is dotted with ranges where sheep thrive. The principal stream is the Fountain qui Bouille, coming out of the canon above Manitou and running in a southerly direction until it empties into the Arkansas near Pueblo. There are no large canals for general farming purposes, since the supply in this stream is not large, while the Monument is the only other stream of any consequence in the county, but carries a small volume of water. A number of small ditches cover the fertile bottom lands in the valley south of Colorado Springs, and were the farms occupied and tilled as they should be, a large amount of grain could be raised. But in the season of 1879 not one half of these farms were cropped, and as far as we could learn the season of 1880 was no improvement in this respect upon its predecessor. A liberal estimate of the amount of wheat raised within the border of the county will not place it over five thousand bushels, with perhaps one thousand bushels of oats. Of corn but little was raised. The hay crop of the county, in favorable seasons, reaches nearly if not fully to ten thousand tons, as a large area of upland is annually cut over, but last season only in the valleys was any hay cut, and two thousand tons will cover the amount obtained. Some attention is being paid to alfalfa, four miles south of Colorado Springs, a considerable area will be sown to this crop next season. It is said that on this farm there are some ponds admirably adapted to carp culture, and that they are to be stocked in the spring with German carp.

As regards fruit culture it may be said that the early settlers of El Paso county, excepting a few farmers, of whom Hon. J. C. Woodbury and Hon. A. Z. Sheldon may be named—paid but little attention to fruit growing. So long as pumpkins, squashes, turnips, &c., could be sold for ten cents per pound, ranchmen did not care to give the time and attention necessary to grow luxuries, as they regarded fruit. Nearly all the first settlers in the county were thoroughly saturated with the idea that no fruit could be grown in Colorado and made no effort to learn by trial whether the generally accepted opinion was correct or not. It was not until a new class of citizens had settled in and around Colorado Springs that a determined effort was made to supply themselves with some of the luxuries, in the way of fruit, that they had left behind them in the states. Some five or six years ago a few of the enterprising citizens of Colorado Springs began to cultivate strawberries, which amply repaid them for the trouble, and the cultivation of this fruit soon became general. Although the strawberry fruit for all kinds here is one of the best in the state, the home product of strawberries during the last season was only about one half equal the demand. Several parties raised enormous crops, considering the area of land devoted to the purpose. L. R. Allen raised a large quantity of the Jucunda, Seth Wilder and one or two other varieties. R. C. Dixon grew a crop of magnificent Jucundas, which for size and flavor have seldom been surpassed. Major Henry McAllister raised on a piece of ground containing 1,250 square feet, or about the twenty fifth part of an acre, over 500 quarts of Wilsons, Crescents and Cumberland Triumphs. Other persons also did well.

Efforts have also been made here to grow blackberries and raspberries, though it would seem as though success, thus far, had not attended the efforts made, by reason, we are inclined to think, of not taking proper care of them they dying down every winter. But several of those who have persisted in repeated attempts to have laid the canes down and covered them, and they are likely to be rewarded next summer with fruit.

Considerable progress has been made of late in raising the larger fruits, and though El Paso county can not boast of such orchards as those of Frazier and Mr. Helms, in the adjoining county of Fremont, a very large number of persons have many thriving apple and pear trees. Mr. Woodbury, living about twelve miles south of the mines, has apple trees in bearing and a fine orchard of young trees that are doing well. Hon. A. Z. Sheldon, at Colorado City, has a considerable number of apple trees that will soon be in bearing. David M. Rose, just south of Colorado Springs, in the valley of the Fountain has raised quite a quantity of apples, of the Duchess of Oldenburg and the Harvest variety. He has also succeeded in growing the Bartlett pear. It may be said of this gentleman that, while others have done well in this county in this respect, he has shown more than usual energy and zeal in the direction of fruit culture. John Harvey, F. L. Martin and others in the town have apple trees in bearing. Major McAllister had over 20 bushels of Duchess of Oldenburg apples from off one tree, and expects to have a much larger crop next season; he also has a few thrifty Winesaps and other varieties. Mr. M. E. Irving has in his garden, in town, peaches, pears and plums that have been in bearing for the last three years; the cherries were Murillas, but we could not learn the varieties of peaches and pears.

We are glad to note that the people of El Paso county are awakening to the importance of giving more attention in the future to fruit growing. This is evidenced by the fact that a prominent nursery house in the state of New York sold about $5,000 worth of apple, pear, plum and other fruit trees in the county last season, and other nurserymen also sold considerable quantities.

A Pomological society is in process of formation here and will soon mature a perfect its organization, when regular meetings will be held for the purpose of discussing such questions as are of interest to fruit growers. Already about forty have signified their intention of joining and such a society cannot fail to have a skillful effect upon the development of this industry.

We learned that a six acre tract lying east of Colorado Springs is to be set to small and standard fruits next spring. So the good work goes on.

LETTER LIST.

List of letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Colorado Springs, El Paso county, Colorado, for the week ending Wednesday, January 5, 1881:

Bland, L C	McMurray, W R
Champion, Miss Maria	Near, F S
Desmond, Louis L	Shepperd, Sarah E
Kielmeyer, Fred	Sterling, Robert R

Thomas, S H.

FOREIGN.

Lowery, Jas.

To obtain any of these letters the applicant must call for "advertised letters" and give the date of this list. If not called for within thirty (30) days they will be sent to the dead letter office.

E. I. PRICE, P. M.

Legislature Notes.

The Denver Times says concerning the gathering of the legislature: "The Windsor lobby presented a very animated appearance this morning. The bulk of the next legislature has arrived and by common consent the Windsor seems to have been selected as the lobby for caucuses, meetings, etc. The time this morning was spent in introducing members to each other. Every member was attended by the usual crowd of petitioners for some office within the gift of the joint body. From what could be heard this morning by Times reporters, there promises to be quite a contest for some of the clerkships. Of course the greater interest is felt in the election for president of the senate. It is understood that a majority of members who have already arrived have expressed a preference for calling a special election to fill the vacancy caused by the unexpected death of the late George B. Robinson. This will probably be done, and although the president of the senate elect will be the acting lieutenant-governor until such election is held, the fact that the vacancy is not to exist for two years will have a tendency to rob the contest for the presidency of the senate of much of its interest to aspirants. The first meeting of the legislature will be held on Wednesday. Until that time there will be plenty of canvassing and wire pulling. From all accounts the session promises to be a very important one and a great deal of interesting legislation is expected.

A general caucus of republican members will be called for to-morrow evening.

In connection with the speakership of the house the name of Colonel W. H. Hill of Clear Creek, W. B. Carpenter of Arapahoe and A. Worster of Clear Creek are heard.

Candidates for sergeant-at-arms are numerous.

Applicants for committee clerkships are growing quite numerous as the date for meeting approaches.

The committee on rules will be selected with great care. It will have some of the most important questions of the session to deal with.

Nearly all the members who arrived this morning paid their respects to Governor Pitkin at the executive room.

Dan Durkee has one of the handsomest dogs in town. The animal is 18 months old and we should judge that he weighed nearly a hundred pounds. He is also an intelligent dog but Dow is not at all jealous.

Business Locals.

Ten cents per line for first insertion; five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Advertisements to go in every other day, or on certain days of week only, ten cents per line for each insertion.

Extra bargains in native jewelry at Allens. m tf

Go to Aiken's Museum for holiday Presents. m tf

Converse & Co. licensed pawnbrokers. 4 tf

NOTICE.

All persons owing me notes or accounts past due will please call and settle same immediately and save costs. G. S. Barnes. m tf

AND DON'T YOU FORGET

The new and novel designs of Furniture consisting of Spring Rockers, Chairs, Desks and every article found in first-class establishment at S. B. Westfield's, on Tejon street. m tf

Having withdrawn from the partnership heretofore existing as Clark & Boone in the nursery business, this is to give notice that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted after this date. 31 6

(Signed) GEO. PAGE.

Colorado Springs, Dec. 30, 1880

ANSWER THIS QUESTION

Why do so many people we see around us seem to prefer to suffer and be made miserable by Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Coming up of the Food, Yellow Skin, when for 75 cents we will sell them Shiloh's Vitalizer, guaranteed to cure them. Sold by F. Robinson.

Parties wishing to go to F. HERMAN'S Summer Resort can now go by rail as all trains will be stopped if the condor is notified before reaching there. a tf

A. L. MILLARD

has the largest stock of furniture in the city, arriving daily. m f

The finest stock of native jewelry in town at Aiken's Museum. m tf.

It is the duty of every gentleman to have a neat calling card to present his lady friends on New Year's and the GAZETTE office is the place to get them. m tf

NOTICE.

I will pay $5 reward for the conviction of any person found stealing the DAILY GAZETTE from subscribers' doors.

HARRIS. tf.

ARTISTIC WALL PAPERS,
SHADE GOODS AND FIXTURES,
PAINTING, PAPER HANGING AND CALSOMINING
AT BROWN'S, TEJON STREET. g 27 tf

Holiday Goods at cost for the next thirty days at Allens. m 30

Leave your orders for F. Heimer's lager beer, wines and liquors, at Mr. Charles Heiser's butcher shop, adjoining north of GAZETTE printing office. a tf.

THE NEWEST THING OUT.

Ask your grocer for Crescent Mills "Patent Flour." It has no equal. m 7 1m

SOLID MEAT OYSTERS

received every day at the North End Market. k 3 tf

Bob Krague, the sign writer, can be found at No. 48 Pike's Peak avenue. k tf

Aiken is selling furs at cost. m 24 tf.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Furnished parlor and bedroom adjoining. Very nice, $25. Inquire at Dr. Crocker's office, corner Tejon and Kiowa streets. m 31 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, $2 to $3 per week. N. W. cor. Kiowa and Wahsatch. a 4 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms and stable, North Tejon street, second door above Calder. a 4 6

FOR RENT—Three very desirable communicating rooms, over the Pike's Peak dry goods emporium. Best location in Colorado Springs for a dress-maker, physician or artist. Apply to Hallowell & Wills. m 30 tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Lumber from eighteen dollars per thousand up, at new lumber yard, corner Pike's Peak and Nevada avenues. m 3 tf

FOR SALE.—A few shares in two prospecting companies. Skillful prospectors need. Address Box 456, P. O. f 8 tf

WANTED.

WANTED—Horses to pasture. Best of feed, as hay was not cut the past season within one mile of town. Apply to G. S. Barnes, care Hooker, Holmes & Co. m 31 6

WANTED—Six men, to work with pick and shovel at Glen Eyrie; wages $1 75 a day. Apply to the gardener. a 4 tf

WANTED—We desire the services of intelligent gentlemen and ladies to solicit subscriptions for the International Review, Magazine of American History, and Home and Social Monthly, in every city and town in the United States. Large commission paid. Sample of all three period cals sent for 45 cents, either for 15 cents. Write for terms.

A. S. BARNES & CO.,
111 & 113 William St., N. Y.

WANTED—One thousand laborers for Denver & Rio Grande extension. Apply to J. A. McMurtrie, Alamosa; D. C. Dodge, Denver, or R. E. Strachan, Colorado Springs. j 23 tf

TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN—Inquire of Janthus Bailey, room No. 2 Union block. a 1 tf

M. L. DE COURSEY'S
Real Estate
COLUMN.

SPECIAL.

FOR SALE.

Ranch of 375 acres tillable land, including 20 acres already in alfalfa, just south of town, with good house of 8 rooms, corral, stable, wagon, etc., and some Horses. The land is fenced and with irrigating, will yield 200 to 250 tons of hay yearly, and afford pasturage for 30 head of milch cows. Has ditch rights.

Ranch of 320 acres of fenced land just south of town. Has on it a splendid spring of never-failing water. Will yield 60 to 150 tons of hay per annum.

A 20 acre garden tract north part of town, directly under big ditch, partly fenced, has been cultivated; with house of 4 rooms, stone foundation. A splendid bit of ground for a fruit farm and a bargain at $1,500, or will trade for city property.

Splendid sheep ranch of 640 acres of deeded land, ten miles northeast of Colorado Springs, 200 acres fenced. Can cut 20 tons of hay yearly; fine range; good frame house, plastered and papered, of 3 rooms and pantry; barn, corral, sheds, spring and creek water. This is an opportunity not often met with of acquiring a valuable sheep ranch near the city.

The Junction House property at the head of Ute Pass, 10 miles above Manitou, and at the point where the Leadville, South Park, Fairplay, Summit Park and Manitou Park roads turn into the Ute Pass road, consisting of 160 acres of land, 2½ miles of post fence; frame hotel of 12 rooms with 85 feet of porch, well finished inside and out; wood house, milk house and cellar, all under same roof as hotel building; large yard with 120 feet of good picket fence in front; two large open fireplaces in hotel; also stabling for 18 span of horses; loft holds five tons of hay; granary 10x28 feet; ice house holding 100 tons with pond near to it with capacity for cutting 200 tons; hennery 16x25 feet; log camp house 10x20 feet, calf house 14x24 feet; five corrals with sheds; good well near stable; spring near house; stream of water runs through the property; eighteen acres under cultivation; good range for cattle. This is the best stopping place in the mountains, and an energetic man can make a good thing out of it. The present owner is getting old and wishes to retire from active business.

A beautiful home just south of town, one mile from postoffice, comprising two acres of land set out with fruit and shade trees, strawberries, currants and gooseberries in bearing; 60 grape vines to bear next year, well of soft water. Cheyenne and Fountain creeks running close by. Good frame, plastered house of 6 rooms, open grate, porch, bay window, stoned up cellar; very handsomely and completely furnished. Will sell grounds, house, furniture, etc., for $2,600. A GREAT BARGAIN.

Ranch of 136 acres, 18 miles north of city, at Borst Station; 100 acres fenced, 50 acres under ditch and cultivation, with story and a half house, plastered, of 9 rooms, stone milk dairy cellar, fine well, stable, chicken house and corral. Also 160 acres large timber. The entire outfit for $2,500, of which $800 may stand.

Ranch of 160 acres of fenced and deeded land on East Kiowa Creek, near Gomer's Mills Postoffice, with log house of 5 rooms, barn, corral, chicken house, etc.; creek running through the ranch, and also an excellent never failing spring. Will cut 20 tons of hay this year; 25 acres in onions, turnips, cabbage and other vegetables; 3 acres first class potatoes. Big and small timber in quantity on the ranch. Has range for several thousand sheep or cattle. Will sell for $1,600 if at once.

Sanders & Aux's stables, both at Colorado Springs and Manitou. Very valuable properties and running a large and profitable business. Will be sold singly or together, without the stock and plant, at reasonable terms.

Splendid cultivated tract of 3½ acres, north part of city, fenced, with first class house of 6 rooms, cellar, good well, small fruits, asparagus beds and shade trees, $3,500, of which $1,000 may stand.

THE IRON SPRINGS HOTEL,

at Manitou, including surrounding grounds, and also the furniture in the hotel; or will rent the hotel and sell the furniture and bedding therein. This has always been a popular hotel, from its beautiful location and its proximity to the celebrated iron springs, and parties wishing to engage in the business will find this a favorable opportunity.

The fine property on Tejon street, above Kiowa, and adjoining Dr. Coombs' office on the corner, consisting of a very valuable lot with two story house of eight rooms, summer kitchen and porch, city water in summer kitchen and on first and second floors of house. The house is fully furnished and furniture will be included in sale.

FOR RENT.

Completely furnished house of 8 rooms. City water, coal house and wood shed; large barn, cellar, etc.; $75 per month.

Two-room unfurnished house on North Weber, $7 a month.

Five-room house one mile north of town, to rent for a few months at a nominal rent to parties who will take care of it.

Unfurnished house of six rooms and bath room, Pike's Peak avenue near Walsatch, $25 a month.

Cottage at Manitou, completely and minutely furnished. Has 5 comfortable rooms, cellar, hydrant water. Located between the "Shoshone" and "Navajo" mineral springs, and close to the post office. Will rent until May 1st, 1881, for $35 per month.

Unfurnished house of 5 rooms, on South Nevada avenue. $15 a month.

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